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Attorney Docket Number	67493/63
First Named Inventor	Patrick M. Marlin
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Application Number	10/658,039
Filing Date	September 9, 2003
Art Unit	1756
Examiner Name	TBA

I hereby declare that:

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**PHOTOMASK HAVING AN INTERNAL SUBSTANTIALLY TRANSPARENT ETCH STOP LAYER**

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

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Application Number 10/658,039 and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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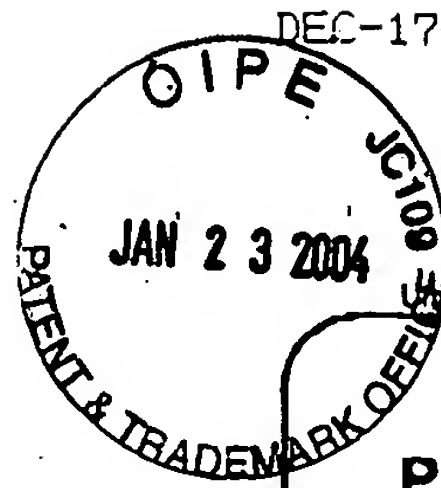


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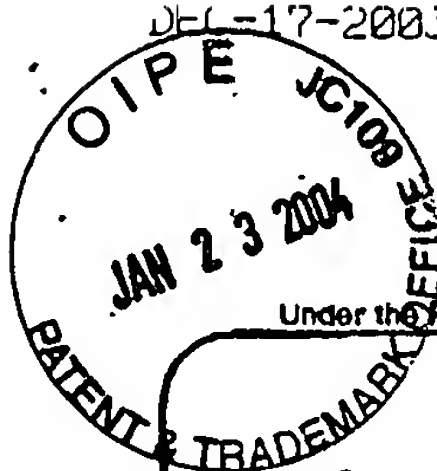
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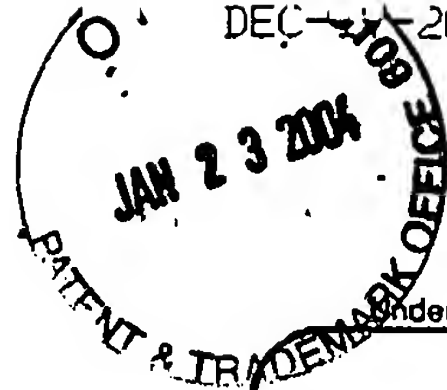
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